

REMARKS

Claims 1-4, 6, and 27-37 are pending in the application.

By the foregoing Amendment, the Specification has been amended to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.177(a). No amendments to the claims are made herein.

These changes are believed not to introduce new matter, and entry of the Amendment is respectfully requested.

Request to Verify Change of Address

A "Notice of Change of Address" has been filed in this application to direct the PTO to send correspondence to the correspondence address associated with Customer No. 00,136, which is the address set forth in the signature block below. If the Notice has not been matched with the PTO's application file, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned counsel so that another copy can be provided. If the Notice has been matched with the PTO file, it is requested that the Examiner verify that the information has been entered into the PTO mailing system so that future communications will be mailed to the correct address.

Conclusion

It now appears that the application is in condition for examination and allowance. Should any questions arise, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned representative so that this case may receive an early Notice of Allowance.

Favorable consideration and allowance are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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